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A. DEFINITION OF BLINDNESS IN TERMS OF OPHTHALMIC MEASUREMENT

An individual is considered blind if he has central visual acuity of 20/200 or less in the better eye with correcting glasses or a field defect in which the peripheral field has contracted to such an extent that the widest diameter of visual field subtends an angular distance of no greater than 20°.

*Agency that determines eligibility for coverage.

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B. DEFINITION OF PERMANENT AND TOTAL DISABILITY

" Permanently and totally disabled" means that the individual has some permanent physical or mental impediment disease or loss, or combination thereof, that substantially precludes him from engaging in useful occupations within his competence, such as holding a job.

*Agency that determines eligibility for coverage.

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